

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 April 25 2015 to 0600 April 26 2015



A general view of Calbuco Volcano spewing ash and smoke is seen during sunset from Alerce town, April 24, 2015.

Phot Credit: Ivan Alvarado/Reuters

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Significant Events – National**

### **Twelve Arrested in Baltimore After March to Protest Black Man's Death**

(Reuters) Thousands of people marched peacefully through downtown Baltimore on Saturday to protest the unexplained death of a black man in police custody but pockets of violence erupted when a small group smashed windows and threw bottles at officers. At least 2,000 demonstrators attended the march to City Hall, the largest turnout since 25-year-old Freddie Gray died a week ago. As darkness fell, about 100 protesters splintered from the group and threw bottles, metal barricades and other objects at police officers and their cruisers, authorities said. Police arrested 12 people who ignored orders to disperse, Batts said. At least one officer was hurt in the skirmishes. Fredericka Gray, Freddie's twin sister, joined Baltimore Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake at a news conference where she urged people to keep calm. "Freddie's father and mother do not want violence, violence does not get justice," she said. Gray died April 19 after suffering a spinal injury while in police custody.

## **Significant Events – International**

### **Chile Volcano Ash Cloud Reaches Brazil; Some Flights Canceled**

(Reuters) Ash from the Chilean volcano Calbuco, which erupted without warning this week, reached as far as southern Brazil on Saturday and prompted some airlines to cancel flights to the capitals of Chile, Argentina and Uruguay. Calbuco, considered one of the most dangerous along Chile's chain of around 2,000 volcanoes, erupted twice in 24 hours on Wednesday and Thursday, sending up a spectacular 17-km-high (11-mile) cloud and coating nearby towns in a thick layer of gray ash. Authorities have set up a 20-km (12-mile) cordon around Calbuco, in the scenic Los Lagos region, around 1,000 km (620 miles) south of the capital Santiago, evacuating more than 6,500 people in the area. The head of Chile's mining and geological service said on Friday the volcanic process could last for weeks.

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## **7.8 EQ, Kathmandu, Nepal**

### **Update:**

- Nepal has requested urban search and rescue (US&R) assistance from the United States in response to the earthquake. The State Department, U.S. Agency for International Development's, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (USAID/OFDA) is deploying a INSARAG-Classified Medium US&R team from Fairfax County, VA (VA-TF1, identified by USAID/OFDA as USA-1), consisting of 54 personnel to include six Canine Search Teams. Additionally, USAID/OFDA has placed a INSARAG-Classified Heavy US&R Team from Los Angeles County, CA (CA-TF2, identified as by USAID/OFDA as USA-2) on a "Mobilization Order," consisting of 77 personnel to include six Canine Search Teams. USA-2 will be mobilized and staged in place at their Point of Assembly. Both VA-TF1 and CA-TF2 will only be able to provide a Type 3 task force for national deployment while engaged in this international deployment.
- The Warning Center will provide updates as they become available.

### **Situation**

- At 2311 hours on 04/24/15 a 7.8M EQ occurred in Nepal, approximately 40 miles away from the capital of Kathmandu. The EQ was also felt in Pakistan, India, Tibet, Bangladesh, and China. The earthquake and its aftershocks have resulted in a significant number of fatalities and injuries, with widespread damage to buildings and infrastructure. [Per multiple media sources, officials report more than 2,200 have been confirmed dead and the number of fatalities is expected to rise.](#)

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## **Significant Activity – Cal OES Telecommunications, International Big Sur Marathon**

- The Big Sur International Marathon is scheduled to be run along Highway 1 beginning at 6:45 a.m. today, April 26. The race will start in Big Sur and end at Rio Road in Carmel. Per Caltrans, traffic on Highway 1 will be restricted from 6: a.m. until 1:30 p.m. from the Big Sur Post Office to Rio Road. While the southbound lane is closed for the race, the California Highway Patrol (CHP) will use the northbound lane to lead caravans of traffic in alternating directions at three different intervals during this time. Therefore, motorists traveling in both directions should expect delays of up to two hours.
- 2015-LAW-8866 – A Cal OES Telecommunications Assistant Chief and ACS Staff from Mutual Aid Region 2 (MAR-2) and MAR-3 are deploying Mobile Interoperability Gateway Unit 2 (MIGU-2) (San Mateo County), MIGU-3 (Shasta County) and COMM-25 to support the International Big Sur Marathon April 26.

## **Weather of Concern**

Strong northwest winds will affect Los Angeles and Ventura County mountains into early this morning, strongest through the Interstate 5 Corridor. These areas could experience strong and gusty west to northwest winds 25 to 40 mph with possible gusts to 60 mph.

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php)

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A ridge of high pressure over the West Coast will lead to dry weather and a warming trend across the interior today through Monday. Interior daytime temperatures will be above normal today through Tuesday. Interior temperatures will cool Tuesday and Wednesday as the ridge shifts further inland.

#### **Medford Weather:**

A weak front washes out on the coast today as an upper level ridge builds over the Pacific Northwest. The upper level ridge will progress east and southerly flow will continue to bring a warmer air mass into the area on Monday. By Tuesday morning the ridge will move east of the area ahead of the next front that will bring precipitation to the coast.

#### **Reno Weather:**

High pressure will build over the Sierra and western Nevada today, with afternoon highs warming into the 70s and 80s for midweek. Low pressure will pass through the Pacific Northwest Wednesday with breezy and dry conditions.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

High pressure will produce warm and dry conditions today through Monday. Slight cooling will occur by the middle of the week as a dry upper trough develops over Northern California.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **Sacramento Weather:**

High pressure brings dry conditions through at least midweek. Above normal temperatures will rule with warmest temperatures on Monday and a slight cooling trend through the end of the week.

### **Hanford Weather:**

Dry weather and a warming trend will be present over the region through at least the middle of next week.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

### **Los Angeles Weather:**

The gusty winds will shift more northerly today, and then northeast by Monday as high pressure moves in. This high and offshore winds will bring fair skies and above normal temperatures into midweek. But the last half of the week will have a cooling trend with an increasing marine layer as a low approaches.

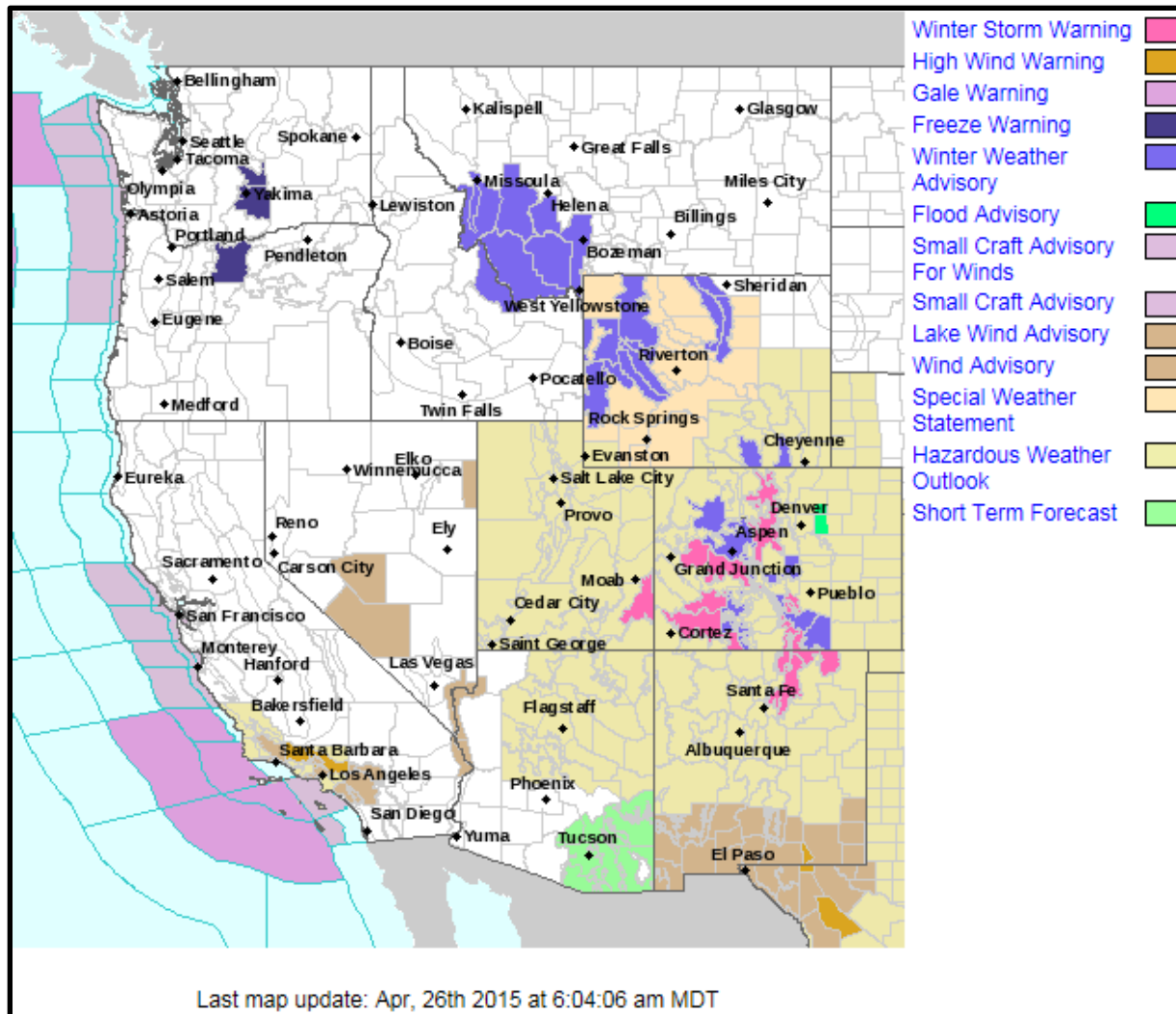
### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

High pressure off the California Coast will move inland bringing a warming trend through Tuesday. Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring locally strong gusty northeast winds below the Cajon Pass and near the coastal foothills of the Santa Ana Mountains Monday morning. Onshore flow will return late Tuesday and continue into next weekend. Cooling will develop near the coast and spread inland along with a return of night and morning coastal low clouds and fog.

### **Southeast California Weather:**

Clear skies are forecast across southeast California today. Dry weather with a warming trend is forecast this week with lower desert temperatures approaching the 100 degree mark by Wednesday.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

## RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

### Round Fire, Mono County

- Reduced to three crews working today. Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) removed hazardous waste found during debris removal operations and de-mobilized from the site. AJ Diani completed removing debris from their last site and will be demobilizing tomorrow.
- Three crews worked on 3 home sites. Debris removal was completed at 1 home site today. Air remedial and personnel monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community. Two tree falling crews continued to remove, buck, and chip hazard trees on the private home sites. Confirmation samples were collected from the completed site.
- Debris removal completed at 1274 Swall Meadows.

### **Project Totals as Day 23:**

37	Homeowners who registered for the removal project.
4	Homeowners that denied entry.
38	Initial site assessment/site documentation complete.
38	Asbestos survey completed and results received.
36	Debris removal completed.
35/26	Confirmation sampling completed/approved.
19	Tree Removal Completed (35 homes have hazard trees).
0	Erosion Control Completed.
0	Approved by County for Building Permit.

### **Estimated Daily Tonnage:**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Day 23</b>
Debris/Ash	0
Soil Disposed	149
Metal Recycled	0
Concrete Recycled	391
Total	540

### **Estimated Project Total Tonnage for the Project as of Day 23:**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Total Tons</b>
Debris and Ash Disposed	3,441
Soil Disposed	4,444
Metals Recycled	1,476
Concrete Recycled	3,838
Total All Categories	13,199

# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.

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### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 54 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 24 Counties: El Dorado, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 9 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-9730, 04/26/15, 0230 hours,** Riverside County Sheriff's Department requesting 15 Type-1 Technical SAR ground personnel in support of a search for a missing person in the Marion Mountain Campground area. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2015-LAW-9712, 04/25/15, 2121 hours,** Riverside County Sheriff's Department requesting 15 Type-1 Technical SAR personnel in support of a search for four teenage missing hikers in the Massacre Canyon area. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2015-LAW-9702, 04/25/15, 1853 hours,** AFRCC reported that a Coast Guard radio station at Point Mugu in Ventura County picked up a Mayday radio transmission. LDO contacted Coast Guard who advised that the listening post received the distress call at about 1800 hours. Coast Guard personnel tried to establish communication with the individual but he did not respond to their requests. Coast Guard believes that the radio transmission originated from somewhere between Point Mugu and the Castaic area, all within Ventura County. The radio transmission was on Marine Channel 16. LDO advised Sgt. Carl Patterson of Ventura County Sheriff's SAR Unit. He said he would call Fire and Sheriff Dispatch to see if they had any reports of trouble. Because of the huge area to be covered and little information available, he did not feel a search of the area was warranted. Sgt. Patterson contacted LDO and advised he was not able to find any additional information. Patterson lives in the area and will monitor Marine Channel 16 for any additional distress calls. **Mission Closed**





**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*